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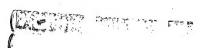
MEMORANDUM FOR: D/DCI/IC

SUBJECT: Invitation to DCI to Attend WWMCCS

Council Meeting.

- 1. Dr. John P. Stenbit, Principal Deputy Secretary of DTACCS (Defense Telecommunications and Command and Control Systems) has just phoned me to advise as follows.
 - a. At a meeting yesterday of the WWMCCS Council (Worldwide Military Command and Control System), Mr. Clements instructed him to invite Mr. Bush to a WWMCCS Council meeting to be held in May, at which will be discussed the interface between intelligence dissemination systems and the proposed future architecture of WWMCCS.
 - b. Dr. Stenbit also advises that Mr. Bush will be seeing Mr. Ellsworth tomorrow (19 February), and the latter will mention this invitation.
 - c. Thereafter, Dr. Stenbit plans to telephone the office of the DCI for an appointment in order to brief Mr. Bush on WWMCCS.
- 2. As background, you may wish to let Mr. Bush know that the WWMCCS Council contracted about 18 months ago with IBM to make a detailed investigation of the characteristics which the WWMCCS system should have in the 1985 time frame. IBM has worked on this with a staff of about 100 people, and they are nearing the conclusion of their work. At the outset, the DCI was invited to name a continuing point of contact and, upon recommendation by D/DCI/IC, I was selected. At the inception of the work Mr. Colby was briefed by Vincent Cook, the head of the IBM team. Present also were General Graham, then D/DCI/IC, and myself, along with DTACCS representatives.
- 3. I tried to steer Dr. Stenbit toward making contact with the DCI via D/DCI/IC, but Stenbit felt that he had instructions from Mr. Clements to proceed directly.

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